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VIA: CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Ms. Kelly McCarty United States Environmental Protection Agency 345 Courtland Street, N.E. Atlanta, Ga 30365

Re: Saad Site

Nashville, Tennessee

Dear Ms. McCarty:

This firm represents Memphis Drum Service, Inc. We are in receipt of your letter to Mr. Pat Hoover, Plant Manager of Memphis Drum Service dated November 27, 1989.

Neither Mr. Pat Hoover nor Memphis Drum Service, Inc. has ever done any business with Mr. Saad in Nashville, Tennessee and knows of no reason why either Mr. Hoover or Memphis Drum Service, Inc. would be a potentially responsible party.

We are prepared to discuss this matter with you at your convenience and want to be as fully cooperative with your agency as we can. Please contact us if you would like to discuss this matter further.

Sincerely,

FARRIS, HANCOCK, GILMAN, BRANAN & HELLEN,

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